GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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EDUCATION FOR DISABLED
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Andhra Pradesh Government has sent some proposals relating to integrated education for the disabled including reservation in education, vocational training and employment;

(b) if so, whether Union Government have asked some clarifications from the State Governments/NGOs concerned;

(c) if so, whether the said clarification have been received by his Ministry;

(d) if so, the number of proposals cleared and pending with the Government for clearance; and

(e) the time by which these proposals are likely to be cleared by the Union Government?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA)

a) to e): Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Integrated Education for Disabled Children, 100% financial assistance is provided to the State Governments/UTs/NGOs for providing necessary facilities to the children with mild to moderate disability with the purpose of integrating them in the general school system. The State Government ofAndhra Pradesh has forwarded four proposals relating to the Integrated Education for the Disabled Children (IEDC)An amount of Rs.63,31,700/- has been released to the State Government as first instalment for the current year. Also an amount of Rs.3,30,625/- has been released to District Primary Education Programme Society as first instalment under IEDC components for the current year.

An amount of Rs.12,64,512/- to Healors Society, Nandyal and Rs.17,03,518/- to Kranti Education Society, Kurnool were released as first instalment under the NGO sector of IEDC programme for the year 2002-03.